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## Ry. Union Heads Meet Monday

To Take Action on Wage Increase Demands Which They Request be Answered

(By United Press)

Washington, Dec. 26.—Heads of railway unions are to meet Monday to take action on the wage increase demands. As a result of President Wilson's decision not to return the railways to private ownership until March 1, the workers have demanded that their requests be answered. Ten railway unions and four brotherhoods will be represented at the conference, Samuel Gompers presiding.

## Railroad Retain Postpones Crisis

(By United Press)

Washington, Dec. 2.—President Wilson's action in postponing to March 1 the return of railways to private ownership, has postponed a "near crisis," as it concerned railway labor desiring more wages and demanding an answer before Jan. 1, date first set for the return of railways.

The railway question is now apparently a political question. Two phases are interwoven since the railway workers declared they will carry government control to the ballot box. Shopmen crafts have been actively pressing demands for a wage increase before the new year.

## Brotherhoods Make Efforts Against Law

(By United Press)

Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 26.—Railroad brotherhoods are making every effort to prevent anti-strike legislation from going into effect with the return of the railroads. W. G. Lee, president of the trainmen said today. Such legislation as provided in the Cummins bill now before congress "is against the right of citizens," said Lee.

## Anti Foreign Language Law Upheld by Court

(By United Press)

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 26.—The state supreme court held constitutional the law prohibiting teaching any foreign language in graded schools.

## Lady Democrats Will Have Say

Gathering at New York to Plan Campaign for Consolidation of Women Voters

(By United Press)

New York, Dec. 26.—Women democratic leaders of the country while contemplating no split with the men in their party, are determined to have a voice in constructing the platform, and naming the presidential nominee it developed today.

This was revealed when nearly 50 women democrats from various parts of the country gathered here to plan a campaign for consolidation of women voters in their party. Mrs. Margaret Vale, niece of President Wilson, was among those contemplating the establishment of a newspaper in New York as a democratic women's political organ. This paper, though temporary, is to be a daily.

## Final Opinion on Bonus Law

(By United Press)

St. Paul, Dec. 26.—Contrary to expectations the state supreme court did not file its final opinion covering the state bonus law. The court on Dec. 19 upheld the action of the Hennepin county court in sustaining demurrer to attack the law by A. Gustafson but did not announce any formal finding on the question involved. The court was expected to announce the written decision covering all questions effected. It is unlikely any opinion will be filed until next Friday.

JOSHUA W. ALEXANDER



Joshua Willis Alexander of Gallatin, Mo., representative in congress, who has been selected by President Wilson to be secretary of commerce, succeeding William C. Redfield.

## Wilson's Order

Washington, Dec. 26.—The decision of the president with regard to the railroad properties was set forth in the following proclamation:

"By the President of the United States of America.

"A proclamation: "Relinquishment of federal control of railroads and systems of transportation.

"Whereas, in the exercise of authority committed to me by law I have heretofore through the secretary of war, taken possession of, and have, through the director-general of railroads, exercised control over certain railroads, systems of transportation and property and pertinent thereto or connected therewith, systems of coast-wise transportation, engaged in general transportation and owned or controlled by said railroads or systems of transportation, including also terminals, terminal companies and terminal associations, sleeping and parlor cars, private cars, and private car lines, elevators, warehouses, telegraph and telephone lines, and all other equipment and appurtenances commonly used upon or operated as a part of such railroads and systems of transportation, and,

"Whereas, I now deem it needful and desirable that all railroad systems of transportation and property now under such federal control be relinquished therefrom, now therefore, under authority of Sec. 14 of the federal control act approved March 21, 1918, and of all other powers and provisions of law thereto enabling me, I, Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States, do hereby relinquish from federal control, effective the first day of March, 1920, at 12:01 o'clock a. m., all railroads, systems of transportation and property of whatever kind taken or held under such federal control and not heretofore relinquished, and restore the same to the possession and control of their respective owners.

"Walker D. Hines, director-general of railroads, or his successor in office is hereby authorized and directed, through such agent and agencies as he may determine, in any manner not inconsistent with the provisions of said act of March 21, 1918, to adjust settle and close all matters, including the making of agreements for compensation, and all questions and disputes of whatever nature arising out of or incident to federal control, until otherwise provided by proclamation of the President or by act of congress and generally to perform as fully in all respects as the President is authorized to do, all and singular the acts and things necessary or proper in order to carry into effect this proclamation and the relinquish-

## French Girls Picture Figures in Trial

(By United Press)

New York, Dec. 26.—The picture of a pretty young French girl given to an American soldier in France, may prove a factor in the trial of Captain Carl Detzer, former head of military police at Le Mans, France. The girl's photograph was introduced as evidence by the defense. It is claimed it was given him by the girl at Manere, on the day when Detzer was supposed to have been in Le Mans.

## Wood Alcohol Kills Seven

Saloonkeeper Who Mixed the Dose is Arrested and Held by the Police

(By United Press)

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 26.—Seven dead and others dying is the toll of a carouse in wood alcohol. Frank Rose, a saloonkeeper, charged with mixing and coloring the dope for a Christmas celebration, is held by the police.

## Four Arrested for Murder

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 26.—With eight men dead and one man critically ill as result of drinking wood alcohol treated with coloring matter and sold for whiskey, Saul Joseph, Nathan Salsberg, Jacob Bronenwine and Frank Rose, all of Hartford, were arraigned in police court today charged with murder. They are alleged to have made the sale. A plea of not guilty was entered in each case and continuance until Saturday was granted. The prisoners were held without bail.

## Germany Considers Allied Demands as an Ultimatum

(By United Press)

Berlin, Dec. 26.—There are no indications in government circles that Germany considers the allied demands as an ultimatum. The usual inspired press statements did not appear after the demands were made public. In fact, the press turned over the note without comment.

## Ireland May Have to Accept Home Rule

(By United Press)

London, Dec. 26.—"Ireland" may have to accept Premier Lloyd George's new home rule plan, whether she likes it or not," said a British official in an interview.

Its passage by parliament was practically assured before the plan was broached in public, it was stated. England is anxious for legislation of some kind to settle the Irish question, second in importance only to winning the war. A national assembly is planned with representation for southern Ireland and Ulster.

## Meeting Postponed

(By United Press)

Washington, Dec. 26.—The regular bi-weekly meeting of President Wilson's cabinet set for today was deferred on account of the absence of some of the cabinet members.

## Employees of New Bavarian Government Trying to Save Important Official Documents Tossed Into Munich Streets by Spartacides



When the Spartacides took possession of Munich they threw all government records and documents into the streets. This photograph just received from Bavaria shows a scene following the breaking up of the revolution. The new state employees are seen endeavoring to save some of the important papers from the rubbish heaps.

LIAM MELLOWS



Liam Mellows, member of parliament of the "Irish republic" and commander of the western forces of the Irish republican army of Easter week, 1911, who escaped from an English jail and came to this country disguised as a stoker, is in San Francisco as the official representative of Eamonn D. Valera, the Irish "president."

## Eternal Triangle--Hero Hides in Ash Can to Dodge Girls

(By United Press)

Chicago, Dec. 26.—Benny Sokolowski, age 12, and handsome victim of a children's triangular love affair, will recover, so doctors assert.

He won the love of Anna Barzeyk, age 13. When Anna saw him play at the home of Florence Moeller, also age 13, she wrote a note to Benny with these throbbing sentiments:

"My Dear Husband—I know you love Florence and not me. Do you love me better? I love you so I could kiss you now. I hate her, but if you love her better than me, you can have her.—Anna Barzeyk."

When Benny received the note, he decided that life with "two women" on his hands was not worth living.

He hid in an ash can and was found unconscious from cold by the neighborhood policeman, Anna's note still tightly clutched in his fist.

He was told he would have to make his choice between the two when he left the hospital and he said: "Well, I suppose I'll have to stay a long time in bed."

## Business Should no Longer be Regulated by Washington

This is the View of the New Secretary of Commerce as Expressed in a Newspaper Article

(By United Press)

New York, Dec. 26.—With peace at hand, it is wholly undesirable to have industry under continued government regulation, said Joshua L. Alexander, newly appointed Secretary of Commerce in an article to be published in the "Independent."

"Business should no longer be regulated by Washington. One thing we need to assist us in our present problems, foreign and domestic, is accurate information. Much trouble has been due to lack of data to base correct decisions.

"In our own interest and for the sake of foreign interests we must safeguard Europe against a breakdown in trade, credits, etc. If Europe sinks, we too will be drawn into the quagmire, as we were drawn into the quagmire of war."

## German Liners Given to British

(By United Press)

Washington, Dec. 26.—Seven former German liners now held in New York harbor will be turned over to the British as soon as arrangements made by the U. S. shipping board are completed. The seven do not include those to be sold by the shipping board.

Six to be sold will be kept under American registration. Seven ships with the Imperator were allotted to the British by the peace conference.

## Execution of Negroes Postponed

(By United Press)

Little Rock, Ark., Dec. 26.—The electrocution of six negroes, condemned to die tomorrow for participating in the uprising in Elaine, Arkansas, last October, was postponed at least sixty days, when attorneys filed notices of appeal in the supreme court. Six negroes sentenced to die on January 2 also were affected. Governor Brange granted the continuance in a respite.

## Bandit Robs Woman of Diamond

(By United Press)

Minneapolis, Dec. 26.—A lone bandit robbed Mrs. E. G. Nugent, relieving her of \$6,000 worth of diamonds. He struck her on the head with an automatic revolver.

ADMIRAL ROBERT E. COONTZ



Latest photograph of Admiral Robert E. Coontz, new head of the bureau of operations, United States navy. This assignment is perhaps the most important in the navy. Admiral Coontz was formerly in command of a division of the fleet.

## British Inaugurate Campaign to Regain Trade Leadership

(By United Press)

London, Dec. 26.—England will soon have in full play a systematic campaign to regain its leadership in trade. British commercial interests are working quietly to again make London the dictator in goods and prices.

A mission of six headed by H. R. McKinder and with others attached including Admiral Keyes, will soon arrive in Southern Russia to promote trade relations with Dennekin.

Another mission is bound for South Siberia, one to the Balkans, Italy and South Germany, all places where British-made goods can find a market.

## League Compromise is Presented

Senator King Works Out Changes Based on all Objections Offered

Washington, Dec. 25.—Definite proposals for a compromise on the peace treaty will be presented to the senate as soon as it reconvenes Jan. 5. They will come from Senator W. H. King of Utah, a democrat, who at the last session supported some of the Lodge reservations and presented at least one which was more drastic than anything in the Lodge program. This referred to Article XIII of the treaty, the labor section, which Senator King wished to exclude entirely, so far as the United States is concerned.

Senator King is completing work upon a new set of reservations, which he will offer when the senate meets as a resolution of ratification.

"I have tried," he said, "to write a reservation which will meet the objections to unqualified ratification, and also the objections of democratic senators to the Lodge reservations. In short, I am trying to evolve something which will be agreeable to all the senators who honestly and earnestly desire ratifications of the treaty."

Senator King said he will make public his proposed reservations late today. He took the Lodge reservations as the basis of his new proposals and has made slight changes in a number of the Lodge clauses. As to Article X, Mr. King said, the change is not great but he is hopeful that it will meet general approval.

## State Bonus Board Meets

St. Paul, Dec. 26.—The state bonus board met informally today. Action was delayed because the state supreme court has not yet given a formal written opinion on the law.

## Pershing in Nebraska

(By United Press)

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 26.—Gen. John J. Pershing made his first public appearance here today as a guest at a dinner with friends. Tonight he will be the honor guest at the state capitol building.

## Thugs Effect Jail Delivery

At Toledo, Ohio, Releasing Four Prisoners—Two Thugs Now in Jail

(By United Press)

Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 26.—With two thugs in jail and the police scouring the city and vicinity for the balance of the gang who took part in a jail delivery, Toledo is gradually getting back to normal. For nearly an hour yesterday the entire Lucas county jail was at the mercy of six armed thugs and four prisoners whom the thugs had released.

## Establish Relationship to Senator New

(By United Press)

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 26.—The question of relationship between Harry New on trial for the murder of Frieda Lesser and United States Senator Harry New of Indiana, was taken up at today's session of the trial. Attorneys for the accused man contend he is the illegitimate son of Senator New and Mrs. Lilly Burger, supporting their claim by presenting a deposition made by Mrs. Martha Scuddy, sister of Harry New's mother. District Attorney Woolvine refused to admit the senator was the defendant's father, following presentation of the deposition declaring it was insufficient proof. Mrs. Scuddy stated in her deposition that Senator New was Harry New's father. She also revealed that Mrs. Burger had been married three times.

## Coal Operators Will Cooperate With Commission

(By United Press)

Washington, Dec. 26.—Operators are making preparations to cooperate with the commission regarding wages and hours which will be acceptable to both sides in the coal controversy. Operators are careful in stating their stand.

## Man Disappears on Way to Wedding

(By United Press)

Monroe, Mich., Dec. 26.—Search was being made today for Dr. Wm. Vermilye, of Brooklyn, who disappeared yesterday while on his way here to marry Miss Ruth M. Keeney.

## Shippers Will Meet to Discuss Railroad Legislation

Believe Their Interests Should be Considered as Well as Labor

Chicago, Dec. 26.—Shippers, representing fifty per cent of the tonnage carried by American railroads, will meet here Dec. 30 to discuss pending railroad legislation.

Shippers have been conferring separately with representatives in Washington, Clifford Thorne, their attorney, said today. "The time has arrived for united action. Railroad labor has long since learned that lesson."

## State Officials Will Prosecute Sugar Profiteers

(By United Press)

St. Paul, Dec. 26.—The department of justice officials conferred today with N. J. Holmberg, state commissioner of agriculture, and will, it is expected, begin prosecution of sugar profiteers immediately.

The state department of agriculture in its sugar investigation reported that sugar jobbers had increased the margin of profits during the last ten days and some of the retail grocers were getting a profit of nearly 8c a pound.

## Coal Board Meets Monday

Washington, Dec. 26.—Next Monday three members of the coal board will meet.



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## THE WEATHER

**Weather Forecast for next 24 hours:**  
Minnesota—Fair tonight and Sat-  
urday. Somewhat colder tonight.  
North Dakota—Fair with moder-  
ate temperature.  
Co-operative observer's record, 6  
P. M.—  
Dec. 23—Maximum 25, minimum  
10. Reading in evening, 10. North  
wind. Clear.  
Dec. 24—Maximum 33, minimum  
7 below. Reading in evening, 20.  
South wind. Cloudy.  
Dec. 25—Maximum 40, minimum  
20. Reading in evening, 25. West  
wind. Partly cloudy. Trace rain.  
Dec. 26—Minimum during night,  
25.

## LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Wm. Hardy of Pine River was in  
town on business.  
Jonathan apples, \$2.98 box, Koop  
Mercantile Co. 153tf  
John M. Henry and family have  
removed to Pillager.  
For Spring Water phone 264. If  
Lowry Smith of St. Paul visited  
friends in Brainerd.  
Miss May Miller is in Arizona re-  
cuperating her health.  
Julius Nathe spent Christmas with  
his parents in St. Cloud.

Get a sack of Occident Flour  
and let it tell its own story.  
If not satisfactory—return it.  
171tf

Mrs. R. E. Freese of Pine River  
was visiting in the city.  
Jack McGill visited his sister, Mrs.  
Joe Ackerman, of Pine River.  
Jonathan apples, \$2.98 box, Koop  
Mercantile Co. 153tf  
Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Sheets and child-  
ren visited relatives in Ironton.  
Miss Rena Husem spent Christmas  
visiting her parents in Long Prairie.  
Dailies of central Minnesota in  
general issued no paper on Christmas  
day.

Miss Claudia Beugnot of Walker  
spent Christmas with her parents  
here.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cobb are the  
guests of her parents in Northwood,  
Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Reardon have  
gone to Ireland for a visit with re-  
latives.

Crystal Spring Water, \$1.00 month.  
L. Bourassa, Telephone 15. 541tf

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Larson visited

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relatives in St. Cloud on Christmas  
day.

Mr. and Mrs. Morse E. Davis spent  
Christmas with her relatives in St.  
Cloud.

Alton Dunn, son of Mrs. Laura  
Dunn, has been very sick with pneu-  
monia.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Swanson of Pe-  
quot are spending the holidays in  
Brainerd.

Mrs. Elidabeth Fleener has re-  
turned from a visit with relatives in  
Valley City, N. D.

The regular meeting of the water  
and light board will be held on Tues-  
day evening, Dec. 30.

Tibbitt's orchestra played at the  
dance given Christmas evening in the  
Ironton village hall.

Christmas brought warm temper-  
ature to Brainerd. Towards evening  
there was a dash of rain.

Miss Ida Erickson visited in Park  
Rapids where she was the guest of  
Mr. and Mrs. William Mueller.

Mrs. Maurice LeMoine has gone to  
Chicago and is the guest there of her  
daughter, Mrs. Minor Andrews.

E. G. Roth, county agricultural  
agent, is spending the holidays with  
friends near Kalamazoo, Mich.

Mrs. Charles Vorce and daughter,  
Mrs. Magnus Rude and children of  
Aitkin, were Brainerd visitors.

Mrs. T. J. Monahan of Little Falls  
visited with her son-in-law and  
daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Murphy.

Mrs. Julius Zamzow of Pequot had  
her eyes treated in the city. She was  
accompanied by her daughter, Alma.

Churches were crowded Christmas  
day and the services were most ap-  
propriate and splendidly carried out.

Come and see our fine selection of  
New Year cards. H. P. Dunn, drug-  
gist. 174tf

Company employees of the Brainerd  
Fruit Co. each received a \$1,000 in-  
surance policy as a Christmas pres-  
ent.

Mrs. George Lucas and two child-  
ren, Gene and Helen, went to New  
Cumberland, Pa., to join her hus-  
band.

## DANCE

at the Finnish Hall, S. E. Brainerd  
**SATURDAY EVENING**  
Music by Blue Ribbon Orchestra

Mrs. Carl Adams visited at the  
home of her brother and sister-in-  
law, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Merrick of  
Crosby.

Carload coke, furnace size, just re-  
ceived. Plenty of egg size hard coal  
on hand at Turcotte Bros. Prompt  
delivery. 174tf

Miss Jennie Bakken is at home in  
Pequot from her school near Brainerd.  
She will spend the holidays in  
Pequot.

Let a New Year card carry your  
best wishes, new line at H. P.  
Dunn's, druggist. 174tf

Mrs. A. W. Moulster and Miss Ruth  
Kiefer were Brainerd visitors on  
Monday of this week. Pine River  
Sentinel.

Joe Marcetich, the prosperous  
Ironton merchant, was a guest of Mr.  
and Mrs. S. F. Alderman for Christ-  
mas dinner.

I. C. Strout, Minnesota & Interna-  
tional railway dispatcher, will spend  
the holiday season with relatives at  
Buffalo, Minn.

Rudolph Johnson is home from the  
University of Minnesota spending the  
holidays with his parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. Aaron Johnson.

Mrs. James Coppess came home on  
Monday from Brainerd, having re-  
covered from an operation. Pine  
River Sentinel Blaze.

Send New Year cards to those who  
sent you Christmas cards, beautiful  
line at H. P. Dunn's, druggist. 174tf

J. G. Dawes will soon leave for  
Hot Springs, Ark., where he will

Regard of  
the Public  
Our study  
and experience  
have trained  
us to a high  
degree of  
usefulness.  
We have  
won public  
regard by  
the manner  
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in April of next year.

Mrs. Emma Murphy and her son,  
Ed Murphy, and his wife and chil-  
dren of Livingston, Mont., are visit-  
ing relatives in Brainerd.

The Machinists Union will have its  
twenty-seventh annual dance on New  
Year's eve at Gardner auditorium.  
A large attendance is expected.

J. E. Bean started out for Freed-  
men in his automobile but got as far  
as Crow Wing and changed his mind  
and returned home. The road was  
almost impassable.

The "Owl" bowling team defeated  
the Ingund garage team on Tues-  
day night at the Cook bowling alleys.  
The "Owls" would like to get games  
with other teams in the B class.

Only this week remains in which  
to take advantage of the Holiday Dis-  
count. Send in your name and start  
with the new classes on Monday.  
Some big things in store for you.  
Brainerd Commercial College. 174tf

Mrs. John Mee returned Friday to  
Pequot from a Brainerd hospital,  
where she had been for ten days. She  
was accompanied by Mrs. Nettie  
Richmond, who had come down to as-  
sist her home.

At the next meeting of the Brainerd  
Women's Community Council  
which has been postponed to Satur-  
day, January 3, E. G. Roth, county  
agricultural agent, will make a re-  
port on the local milk supply.

Knights of Ascalon Commandery  
of the Knights Templar assembled  
Christmas morning in full uniform  
and participated in the toast to the  
leader of the Templar hosts in the  
United States and dependencies.

An ad in the Dispatch want col-  
umn will rent that house, flat or  
room, will sell used articles, recover  
lost ones, gain help for kitchen,  
house or office. Dispatch want ads  
are only a cent a word each time,  
cash.

Merry Christmas greetings were  
extended their friends and patrons  
by a group of 56 business men, using  
half a page space in the Daily Dis-  
patch of Wednesday evening. The  
same announcement appeared in the  
Weekly Dispatch.

Editor Geo. P. Watson, lately of  
the International Falls Press, accom-  
panied by his family, is in the city,  
the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Paul.  
Mr. Watson has bought the Fair-  
bault Pilot, and is moving there to  
take active charge of that paper.

This is the time of year when you  
should be making special efforts to  
get the most out of the coming win-  
ter months. We can make these  
months mighty profitable to you if  
you join the new classes that start  
Monday. Send your name in now.  
Brainerd Commercial College. 174tf

The American Legion will give a  
dance at Gardner auditorium on Mon-  
day evening, Dec. 29. There will be  
no ticket selling by individuals, such  
a canvass having been superceded by  
placing the tickets on sale at John-  
son's drug store, Anderson's studio  
and the D. M. Clark & Co. store.

Pequot visitors in Brainerd were  
Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Parker, Mrs. C.  
B. Crockett, Mrs. Herbert J. Colmer,  
Miss Clara Colmer, A. G. Colmer, Ol-  
iver Bakken, Mrs. Wm. Strausburg,  
Ben Knebel, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Enes,  
Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bush and son, Lon  
Thurlow, Mrs. E. S. Wahn, Mrs. A.  
P. Schulberg.

The cantata at the Swedish Luth-  
eran church was a success, consider-  
ing the short time taken in its prepa-  
ration. A large appreciative audi-  
ence was present. Although the  
choir was seated in the front part  
of the church and was far removed

from the organ and director, the pre-  
cious and unity shown on the part  
of its members deserves comment.

New day and evening classes start  
on Monday. Make the winter months  
profitable by taking your Business  
Course now. Send in your name this  
week to obtain our special Holiday  
Discount and be on hand Monday to  
begin your course. Brainerd Com-  
mercial College. 174tf

Milton Mahlum was up from Brainerd  
the latter part of last week and  
assisted in the taking of inventory of  
the local Mahlum yards. Mr. Mahlum  
states that their Pine River yard  
is one of the best in their entire  
string and that during the coming  
year he expects to make very fre-  
quent visits here and get acquainted  
with Pine River and local conditions.  
Pine River Sentinel Blaze.

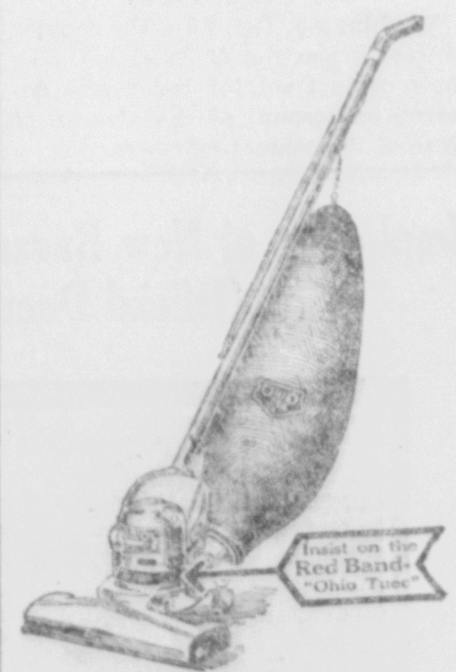
**Minister Wants to Help**  
It is only natural that one who has  
been relieved from suffering feels  
grateful and wants to help others.  
Rev. W. A. M. Swyndole, 818 Elm  
St., Macon, Ga., writes: "My kidneys  
gave me much trouble before I took  
Foley Kidney Pills. I am ready at  
any time to speak a word for Foley  
Kidney Pills." H. P. Dunn, druggist

## DEAL WITH US MAKE MONEY

Best Market Price Paid by Brainerd  
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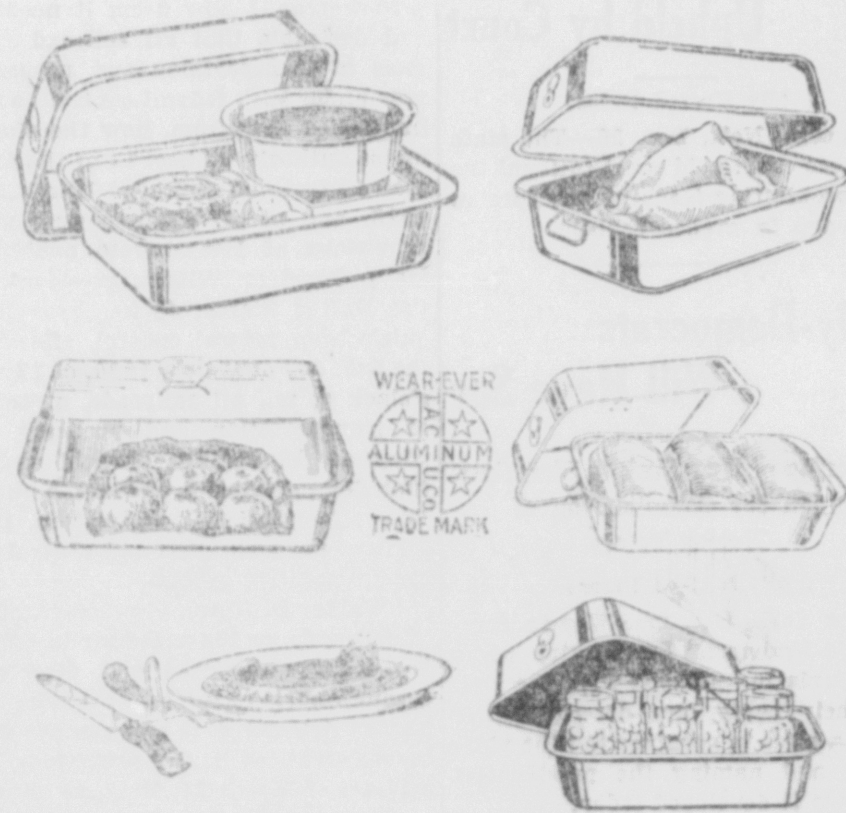
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## SMALL HOPE FOR THE "WETS" SEEN

BELIEF THAT PROHIBITION IS HERE TO STAY IS GENERAL AMONG PUBLIC MEN.

## LAST ATTACKS BEING MADE

Lifting of the Wartime Ban Before the Constitutional Amendment Goes Into Effect Is Considered to Be Very Doubtful.

By JAMES P. HORNADAY.

Washington.—The public man who believes that the United States will ever take a backward step with respect to prohibition of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating beverages is hard to find. The decision of the Supreme court the other day, upholding the wartime prohibition legislation, has done much to confirm the prevailing view that prohibition is here to stay. Men who know the history of their country point with some pride to the fact that the people of the United States have never taken a backward step on any moral question. The so-called liquor question is generally regarded as a moral question and for this reason, if for no other, many public men say, the people may be counted on to hold all the ground that has been gained.

The failure of the senate to ratify the treaty of peace with Germany and the decision of the Supreme court on wartime prohibition have made it extremely doubtful whether the wartime ban will be lifted even for a limited period of time. The amendment to the federal constitution prohibiting the manufacture and sale of intoxicants, also the legislation recently enacted by congress for the enforcement of the constitutional amendment will become effective January 17. Even if the treaty of peace with Germany should be ratified the first week in January, which is extremely improbable, there would still be a question as to whether the president would have authority to declare wartime prohibition null and void, for the United States would still be at war with Austria and Bulgaria, technically speaking. So it seems reasonably certain that there is to be no gap between wartime prohibition and prohibition through constitutional amendment.

Position of the President.

It is evident that up until the day the constitutional amendment shall become effective the president of the United States will be importuned to lift the ban. His desk for weeks has

been piled high with petitions, asking him to give the interests that hold large stocks of liquors enough time to dispose of their holdings. But the president's attitude all along has been that he could not come to the relief of the men and concerns that were petitioning him so long as the peace treaty remained unratified by the senate. The fight against prohibition will go on. The wet interests are attacking the legality of the constitutional amendment in the courts and within the next few months they will get a decision from the Supreme court. It would be unwise, as well as foolish, to attempt to predict what the Supreme court will say with respect to the constitutional amendment, but since it upheld the legality of wartime prohibition the supporters of the constitutional amendment have no doubt, so they say, that the court will hold that the amendment was properly adopted.

Thirty-eight states ratified the amendment on or before January 16, 1919. Thirty-seven only are recorded as ratifying before that date in the office of the secretary of state, as Arkansas has never sent in notice of ratification. Counting the states that have ratified the amendment since January 16, 1919, forty-four states have gone on record as favoring the amendment. The contention of the forces that are attacking the amendment in the courts is that in some of the states, under state enactments, the question of ratification should have gone to the people before being submitted to the legislature.

May Be Made Political Issue.

The forces that would break down prohibition will attempt to make the constitutional amendment an issue in the political campaigns in a good many of the states next year. It is generally understood that that will be what may be called the last ditch fight of the wet interests. In some quarters the hope is entertained that if the issue can be raised, it will reveal a reaction against prohibition. The wets will even attempt to raise the issue in some of the states that were dry through constitutional amendment or by act of the legislature before national prohibition was adopted. Altogether there are 33 states that had gone on record in favor of prohibition before the federal government spoke.

The leaders of the two old political parties, so it is asserted, are opposed to having the national political conventions of next year make any reference to prohibition, unless it be to endorse the federal amendment. In this connection it is pointed out that the amendment was not a partisan matter at all in congress. Neither of the political parties has attempted to take to itself the credit for the amendment.

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## HOPE FOR TREATY AFTER THE RECESS

SENATORS LIKELY TO RETURN AFTER HOLIDAYS IN MOOD TO RATIFY PACT.

KNOW PUBLIC DEMANDS IT

Neither Congress nor the Public Wishes the Matter to Become an Issue in the Coming Presidential Campaign.

By JAMES P. HORNADAY.

Washington.—It seems reasonably certain that the treaty of peace with Germany will be taken up by the senate after the Christmas holidays and eventually ratified with reservations. As time goes on there are indications of better feeling in the senate with respect to the treaty situation. The three or four factions into which the senate divided over the treaty still exist, and each faction is inclined to stand its ground, but there is more and more talk among senators representing the various factions that real statesmanship must eventually have its way, and that when it does the treaty will be disposed of. Everybody realizes that the existing situation cannot be allowed to run on indefinitely.

In connection with the treaty situation some things are obvious. One is that congress is not willing to adopt a resolution declaring that a state of peace now exists between the United States and Germany. The adoption of that sort of resolution, it is pointed out, would mean that the United States had deserted the allies with whom she fought and the legislators are not willing to put their country on record as doing that sort of thing. It is also obvious that neither congress nor the public is anxious to have the treaty become an issue in next year's presidential campaign. Even party men, who would be willing to have the controverted questions raised by the treaty submitted to the people, realize, so they say, that the world waits on the establishment of peace, and this being the case, they doubt if the public would be willing to delay the establishment of peace long enough to have the treaty made a political issue in this country. The fact is that between 70 and 80 senators are anxious to see the treaty ratified. It requires only 64 votes to ratify.

Both Sides Are Blamed.

The whole difficulty about the existing situation is that men do not like to yield once they have taken a stand. The Republican majority in the senate says President Wilson is responsible for the failure to ratify at the recent special session, while the president would place the responsibility on the Republican majority. The commentator on the situation who desired to be fair to everybody would be obliged to say that both sides are to blame. However this may be it is a thing of the past, and undoubtedly what the public desires to know now is when and how the treaty is to be ratified, and world peace established, for it is settled that our allies in Europe will not go ahead with the peace program so long as there is the slightest possibility of the United States joining them in that program.

Senator Lodge, chairman of the foreign relations committee, has repeatedly said since his resolution of ratification was defeated that so far as he is concerned the treaty is dead. President Wilson has said that the responsibility for reviving the treaty rests with Senator Lodge and the foreign relations committee. It is obvious that so long as the president and the chairman of the foreign relations committee continue to hold to these positions the treaty will remain where it is, in a pigeonhole in the office of the clerk of the senate. The public may reasonably expect that along early in the new year senators who favor ratification with reasonable reservations, and this means both Republicans and Democrats, will get to work and agree on a ratification resolution that will command the necessary two-thirds vote.

Must Have Some Reservations.

Any ratification resolution that does not embrace reservations cannot command votes needed to adopt it. The prevailing view among senators who are best informed as to what is in the minds of the friends of the treaty is that the Lodge reservations which went down with the first ratification resolution will be made the basis for a compromise set of reservations. Certain of the Democratic senators who have much influence with their associates have already indicated that they are willing to accept at least eight of the fourteen Lodge reservations, and that they will accept the others provided certain modifications are made.

Recent advices to the state department from the diplomatic representatives of the United States in London, Paris and Rome there is a better feeling with respect to reservations which the United States senate may possibly make. If the information that is coming in can be relied on there is a willingness on the part of the European statesmen to accept ratification by the senate with reservations provided the reservations are kept within reason. On the whole the prospect is that after senators get through with their Christmas holidays they will come back in a still better state of mind and ready to deal in a statesmanlike way with the treaty.

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The H. C. L. Again.

The Laundress—I'll have to get \$2 more this week. I can't wash at the old rates.

The Housewife—But you seemed satisfied when I gave you a raise last week.

The Laundress—Yes'm, but furs an' gasoline an' motor accessories have went up something terrible since then.

Would Have Pleased the Queen.

Mrs. Styles—I see it stated that when the Belgian king flew over New York in an airplane he would not allow his queen to fly with him.

Mr. Styles—That was unkind of him, for she really would have had the opportunity of seeing an awful lot of women's hats.

Didn't Stay to Say.

One rainy morning in the early fall I was awakened by a noise, writes a correspondent of the Chicago Tribune. I listened, heard some more noises, and decided there must be some one in the house. I jumped from my bed, turned on the light in the dining room, and there, to my horror, stood Mr. Burglar at the kitchen door. He had jumped through the pantry window and got only as far as the kitchen when I caught him. I screamed at the top of my voice: "Get out of here! What do you want here, anyway?" and quietly he unlocked the door and went, never saying a word.

The Critical Cuisine.

"This coal shortage—" began the apprehensive citizen. "It doesn't interest me," interrupted Mr. Stormington Barnes. "My Hamlet gets roasted regardless of the fuel supply."

## MISS JUSTINE KLOTZ



Miss Justine Klotz of Poland, who holds the degree of doctor of laws from the University of Paris, acted as interpreter for the French, English, Polish and Czech-Slovak delegates to the international conference of working women at Washington.

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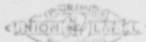
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## A GERMAN DISTRICT

The Fifth Congressional district of Wisconsin, which is a part of the city of Milwaukee, has gone Prussian again.

It re-elected Victor Berger to congress, despite the fact—if not in large part because of the fact—that he has been convicted of disloyal partisanship for the beaten cause of Germany and has been kicked out of congress by the votes of nearly four hundred Americans to one German-born republican.

In part this is a Socialist vote. Berger was elected to congress from that district before the war, and since he then appeared in congress only as a Socialist, his presence there was unchallenged. But in larger part this disgrace has happened because the Fifth congressional district of Wisconsin ought to have been voting for a member of the German reichstag instead of for a member of the American congress.

If there ever had been any doubt of the justice of Berger's conviction, he shattered it himself by the manner in which he defied the house of representatives when he was voted out of that body. He reiterated and boasted of his sedition; and the record of congress that contains his remarks—if they were suffered to remain there—will make it unnecessary to refer again to the record of the court in which he was convicted.

There is but one course for congress to take, of course. It must refuse to receive this delegate from Prussia. It must refuse to receive any man elected under such circumstances.

Until it learns to be American, the Fifth congressional district of Wisconsin should go unrepresented in congress; and if it does not like it the majority of its voters may move back to Germany, where they manifestly belong.—Duluth Herald.

## IN WHAT CLASS WILL YOU BE AT AGE 65

Statistics show that out of 100 average healthy men at age 25, at age 65—  
 36 will be dead.  
 1 will be rich.  
 4 will be well-to-do.  
 5 will be supporting themselves by hard labor.  
 54 will be dependent upon friends, relatives or charity.

## MRS. JAY AND CHILDREN



After spending the summer at Hot Springs, Va., Mrs. Peter Augustus Jay, wife of the United States charge d'affaires in Italy, called with her two children for home to join her husband. This photograph shows Mrs. Jay with her children, Emily, the younger, and Susan II.

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## HOW 'TEDDY' CAME

No Flourish of Trumpets Herald Roosevelt.

Just One of the Crowd Doing Good Work in Hopi Land, but Supreme in Quality of Leadership—Proved His Energy.

I was travel stained from head to foot, and on the front of my khaki riding skirt flared with a placid disregard of all conventions a large, round circle of black axle grease, where the camp wagon had brained me for my affront of trying to climb in over the wheel, writes Natalie Curtis in the Outlook. My companions called the round stain an "Indian sun symbol," and it was not comforting to hear them jeer that nothing but a bath of gasoline could ever make me clean again.

I ran across the sandhills to the little schoolhouse to which the Hopi children trail down from the mesa top to be taught in the ways of the white man. All the white employees of the government school were busy with scrubbing brushes—so busy that they did not look up from their work as they said, "Sorry, we can't bother about anything now. We're cleaning up for Roosevelt." "But so am I," I cried. Yet they only went on scrubbing.

At last I spied a silent and empty motor car. A man on horseback seemed to be the owner. "I am going to meet Col. Roosevelt," he said; "too busy to help you now. You can have as much gasoline as you like if you get it for yourself." I fetched a handless cup from the schoolhouse, but I gazed at the car in despair. I was as ignorant of its inner workings as an Indian. Presently a handsome and deep-tanned young cowboy in blue overalls passed me, leading some horses.

"I wonder if you could get me some gasoline from this car?" I called. "I am allowed to have it. You see," I continued, confidentially, "we are all trying to clean up in honor of Col. Roosevelt—he is expected today some time." The young man smiled, and a few minutes later he lay in after driving under the car, milking gasoline into my cup. I thanked him warmly and sped away. I was glad to see that he was just as weather-stained as I.

As I climbed the crest of one of the sandhills I stopped short, open mouthed in wonder. A stalwart figure on a cow pony was riding up the hill, alone and unattended; without any flourish of trumpets, Col. Roosevelt had arrived! His sunburned face was partly shaded by a big felt hat, a red handkerchief fluttered at his throat, and he, too, looked as though gasoline might improve his khakis. I waved my sombrero and cried "Hail to the chief!" No one had expected the great guest so soon, but it was like him to be ahead of the rest of the world.

He leaped from the saddle and we shook hands warmly. "This is capital!" he exclaimed. "But don't spill my gasoline," I cried. "Every one in Hopi land is trying to clean up for you!" He laughed heartily. "You must meet my boy," he said, and called loudly, "Archie!"—and at this the knight in overalls appeared!

"We have met today before," he said, with a smile, and glanced significantly at my cup. It was nearly empty. The desert sun was drinking up all my efforts, but I did not care.

The stars were still alight the next morning when we left our camp fire, but we paused for a moment to fill a bottle with hot coffee for the colonel, who had made his headquarters in the schoolhouse. When we reached the schoolhouse, the colonel's room was empty. "One must indeed get up early to be abreast of Theodore Roosevelt," we told each other, rather shamefacedly.

Now, to climb the Walpi trail, a steep 600 feet, even on horseback, is no pleasant task before daylight (and breakfast!) But when we scrambled on foot to the summit, tired and breathless, there stood the colonel, strong and secure, among the topmost rocks of the Hopi buttes, silhouetted against the "yellow line," as the Hopis call the dawn. The little incident was characteristic of his natural drive of energy, his unflinching promptitude and his labored quality of leadership.

## Portia to Date.

For the first time in history a woman lawyer, Signora Comani, has conducted a case in an Italian courtroom; and commentators are naturally reminded of Portia and the famous case of Shylock vs. Antonio. Shakespeare may have found his idea for the scene in an Italian tradition, for the tale goes down from the fourteenth century of how the daughter of a jurist in old Bologna took her father's place in the law school.

But even if the tradition is based on fact, it detracts nothing from Signora Comani's appearance in an Italian law court, for law schools and law courts are somewhat different, and the "lady lawyer" of Bologna did not appear publicly; she taught law to her father's students from behind a curtain.—Christian Science Monitor.

## Partnership.

Broker—Darling, we are ruined! I have lost every dollar.  
 Wife—Not so, dear; I still have the stock that you gave me last Christmas.  
 Broker—You have—really?  
 Wife—Yes, pet; so only you are ruined—not we.

## GREAT RECORD FOR RECLAMATION

NEARLY 2,000,000 ACRES HAVE BEEN RECOVERED FROM THE DESERT AND POPULATED.

CROP RETURNS ARE IMMENSE

TOTAL REVENUE FROM RECLAMATION WORK THIS SERVICE IS ESTIMATED AT \$556,000,000—FUND TO CAPITAL INVESTED.

By JAMES P. HORNADAY.

Washington—Within the last 15 years the reclamation service of the federal government has constructed an irrigation system that supplies water to 1,780,000 acres of land. All of this land has not been made to blossom as the rose, but all of it is producing vegetation. On the government reclaimed lands are 40,000 families in independent homes. The population in cities, towns and villages in these government projects has been increased by an equal number of families. That is to say, on the 1,780,000 acres reclaimed there are now profitably employed and satisfactorily housed 400,000 people. As a creator of wealth, its service to the nation and state has been as great as in its principal task of home making. Out of the uninhabited and almost worthless desert it has carved an empire of nearly 2,000,000 acres intensively cultivated and producing crops whose annual average gross returns per acre are about double those for the rest of the country.

Since the first government ditch began turning its waters on the land in 1905 the crops produced on the reclaimed lands have had a total value of more than \$250,000,000. The present annual crop returns are now more than \$700,000,000, not including the value of crops grown on the million acres outside of projects which are supplied with stored water.

## Land Values Greatly Increased.

The increase in land values has been enormous. In 1902, the beginning of government irrigation work, the average value of the desert lands in the project did not exceed \$10 per acre. The total value, therefore, of the 1,780,000 acres in government projects did not exceed \$17,800,000. Government irrigation has increased the value of the project lands \$200 per acre, or a total of \$356,000,000. It has increased the value of the 1,000,000 acres in other projects by \$100 per acre, or \$100,000,000. The increase in the value of land in the cities, towns and villages within projects is easily \$100,000,000, or a total increase in land values of \$556,000,000, due to this work.

In connection with the above summary no consideration has been given to 1,138,000 acres of land included in government projects which will be irrigated when the engineering works are completed, the present market price of which has increased at least \$50 per acre by reason of this fact. The increase in the price received for state lands included in the projects and now mostly disposed of was at least \$3,000,000 of direct revenue derived by the states. Dividing the average reclaimed—1,780,000—into the net cost of the works of \$122,045,000, we have a cost of approximately \$30 per acre for the lands in reclamation projects to which the government can now deliver water. This cost, however, includes the cost of serving stored water to about 1,000,000 acres of land. If these lands be included, the average expenditure per acre benefited is less than \$45, and this cost includes large storage works and canals useful for future reclamation on projects now being completed, the utilization of which will further reduce these figures of cost.

## Revolving Reclamation Fund.

Up to the end of June, 1919, there had been diverted from the United States treasury and made available for reclamation purposes \$119,892,084.50. Of this amount there was cash on hand June 30 \$1,088,322.52. Out of the funds thus made available, investigations have been made of proposed projects which have never been approved for construction, requiring an expenditure of \$1,207,354. This leaves a reimbursable investment in irrigation works of \$117,684,727.98. The security for the return of this investment is represented by constructed projects.

Under the provisions of the reclamation act of June 17, 1902, by which the reclamation fund was created, this is made a revolving fund, so that the return of any portion of the investment is made available for reinvestment in other operations. The reclamation fund, therefore, can be compared with capital invested in any business in commercial enterprises, and the authority to so use the fund makes possible the construction of works aggregating a cost greater than the amount of the original investment. All appropriations by congress for reclamation fund projects have been authorized for using the reclamation fund, as the acts have specifically provided that the amount to be expended for the service, as a whole, is limited to the available amount in the reclamation fund.

It is estimated it will be necessary to expend \$49,353,000 more in order to bring the entire investment into a position where construction charges may all be collected. Thus the total ultimate cost of present project units is computed at \$171,038,000.

## WOMEN EXCEED MEN IN JAPANESE FACTORIES

850,000 Japanese Women Work at Average Daily Wage of Ten to Twenty Cents for a Twelve Hour Day.

There are more women in industry in Japan than there are men, according to a statement recently made by the War Work Council of the Young Women's Christian Association.

The world war has brought 850,000 women and girls into the daily grind of industry according to this statement; 30,000 of them little girls under fifteen years of age who work twelve hours at a wage of ten to twenty cents a day, that the world may have silk dresses and munitions.

In Tokyo alone, a city of two and one-half million people, there are 100,000 women employed in sixty-two industries and businesses varying from work as telephone operators, clerks, stenographers and bookkeepers to work in silk and other sorts of factories and domestic work.

Each year thousands of these women go back to their homes in the country, broken in health and victims of tuberculosis because of the poor conditions under which they work and live. They are housed in dormitories in the factory compound. These dormitories are frequently unsanitary. The girls work long hours, have no recreation and on finishing their long day go immediately to bed, oftentimes a bed which a girl who works at night has been sleeping in all day.

As part of its world service for women, the Young Women's Christian Association plans to build dormitories in manufacturing towns where girls may live cheaply under healthful physical and social conditions, to send out secretaries who can introduce recreation into the factory compound and direct games and social life.

This is done with the co-operation of the factories' managers and proprietors. One of the most influential of these is Mrs. Suzuki, the most prominent woman manufacturer in Japan, who is owner and manager of a firm which exported \$11,000,000 worth of bunnies last year.

Recently Mrs. Suzuki decided to employ one thousand women in her offices. She could not find enough well trained ones so she established a permanent school where Japanese girls may be trained to enter the business world. The greatest danger ahead of Japan, she says, is in its growing materialism, and Japan's greatest need, the development of her women.

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 NATIONAL FRIENDSHIPS  
 DEPEND UPON WOMANKIND  
 Japanese Diplomat Says Men Alone Cannot Create International Friendliness.

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 International friendship between nations depends largely upon the friendly feeling between the women of those nations, according to representatives of the Japanese embassy in Washington.

Their theory is that there can be no firm friendship between two nations unless the women of those two countries know and like one another, as co-operation between nations, as in the state and in the family, is based on co-operation between men and women.

Therefore, if Japan and America are to have a real, lasting friendship, to really know and understand one another, the women of the two nations must learn to play together, to study together and to think together.

The Y. W. C. A. is one of the best mediums for bringing about this friendship between the two nations, according to diplomatic representatives of Japan, as that organization is teaching Japanese women recreation, showing them how to enjoy out-of-door life and sports. It is particularly necessary that Japanese women learn to enjoy and appreciate recreation, they say, since the great influx of women into industry and business as Japanese women, formerly so conservative, are going into business and doing many things which they had never thought of doing before the war.

The Y. W. C. A. has been assured the fullest possible co-operation of the Japanese embassy and the Japanese people in making its "World Service program" for three million dollars to be used for women and girls in the United States, India, China, Japan, South America, Egypt, Siberia, the Near East and Mexico a success.

## Y. W. C. A. TRAINS WOMEN.

Young women students from forty-four states and nine countries—China, the Philippine Islands, France, Bulgaria, Holland, Russia, Armenia, Canada and Mexico—are registered in the National Training School of the Young Women's Christian Association in New York.

They are studying methods of Y. W. C. A. work with a view to taking up positions in Y. W. C. A. work either in this country or in other of the countries where the Y. W. C. A. is carrying on, opening and expanding its work.

## AMUSEMENTS

At the Park Today and Tomorrow

Big men for—big parts. Major Robert Warwick, distinguished for his splendid record as a soldier in France, is coming to the New Park theatre for two days, beginning today, in a new Paramount-Artcraft picture, "Told in the Hills." Major Warwick plays the heroic role of "Genesee" Jack Stuart, who sacrifices a promising career to marry the girl his brother has wronged.

Jack begins life anew as a prospector in the Rockies of Montana. Here Jack meets the girl he loves and, after several exciting adventures as an army scout, is able to claim his happiness. It is a tremendous story of love and adventure, adapted from the famous novel of the same name by Sarah Ellis Ryan.

## "A Prince There Was"

Cohan and Harris will present at the New Park Sunday, Dec. 28, a new comedy called "A Prince There Was" by George M. Cohan, a play suggested by the novel, "Enchanted Hearts," which has had considerable vogue and which was written by Darragh Aldrich, one of the most brilliant American women novelists. This comedy has enjoyed long runs in both New York and Chicago and has been praised by the critics in both those cities as one of the brightest and most up-to-date products from the versatile pen of America's favorite comedian and playwright.

This play is so thoroughly Cohanesque and up-to-date that one of the unique and amusing characters is that of a moving picture actor who turns detective. Undoubtedly "A Prince There Was" will be the comedy sensation of the present season in this city, and the promise is made by Cohan and Harris that it will be presented in a sumptuous manner as far as scenic equipment is concerned, and by an admirable cast headed by James Gleason, and including Ena Lewis Wiley, William Slider, Josephine Williams, John Bedouin, Lucille Webster, John E. Sanders, Adelaide Wilson, James Bradbury, Jr., Marie Nelson, Joseph Oddo, Will T. Goodwin and Muriel Nelson.

## New "Aristocracy."

It's no longer the "movie," if the motion picture engineers have their way. "Cinema" is the correct term. "Movie" is too plebeian.—Pittsburgh Gazette-Times.

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## CHRISTMAS TRADE WAS FINE ONE

Stores of City Were Crowded With Shoppers to the Last Hour

### PURCHASES WERE PRACTICAL

In Spite of Discontinuing Evening Shopping, Sales Equalled Same Period Last Year

Christmas trade enjoyed by merchants is reported to have equalled that of any year previous. In spite of the discontinuance of evening shopping, one merchant said his sales two days before Christmas came within \$5 of equalling his record for the same period last year.

Purchases made were largely of things to wear or to use, practical, usable articles.

### MRS. G. F. MITCHELL TAKEN

Respected Resident of Brainerd Passed Away Early Friday Morning—Funeral Monday

Mrs. Sarah J. Mitchell, wife of G. F. Mitchell, passed away at the family home, 323 North Seventh street, at three o'clock this morning after an illness extending over a period of nearly two years. Death was due to chronic Bright's disease.

There survive the husband, G. F. Mitchell, a son, Charles Mitchell of Missoula, Montana, and two daughters, Mrs. G. D. LeBar and Miss Ella Mitchell of this city, also a sister, Mrs. C. W. Eastman of Brainerd, and two brothers and a sister residing in California.

Brief funeral services will be held from the residence on Monday, December 29th, at two-thirty.

The news of her death comes as a shock to a wide circle of friends and acquaintances, although not entirely unexpected owing to the nature of her illness and the duration of the same. Mrs. Mitchell had resided in Brainerd for over twenty-five years and was intimately known to many of those who have made Brainerd their home during that period. She was affiliated with the First Congregational church of this city and a woman whose influence in the home and among her associates was always felt. Her passing removes from the immediate family circle and from those who knew her one whose splendid personality and beautiful self-sacrificing character will long be remembered and will be deeply missed.

### TO STUDYING MARKETING

At the Annual Meeting of the Minnesota Federation of Farmers' Clubs

Various phases of the marketing problem will be considered at the annual meeting of the Minnesota Federation of Farmers' clubs, which will be held at University Farm, St. Paul, Dec. 30 to January 1, inclusive—Farmers and Home-Makers' Week. On Wednesday, the second day of the meeting, Hugh J. Hughes, of the state department of agriculture will present the subject, "Marketing of Potatoes." At the same session, N. J. Holmberg, head of the state department of agriculture, will speak on "Wheat Grades and Marketing of Wheat." George W. Dandland of Worthington, Minn., and Harry Owen of Minneapolis, will answer the question, "Why Should Farmers Organize?" On Thursday the closing day, W. A. McKerron, livestock specialist, will make suggestions as to methods of marketing livestock; Magnus Johnson of Watkins, Minn., will tell of the Equity Exchange as a factor in marketing. Other speakers will be C. O. Nelson, of Boylston, Minn.; Edward Indreus of Foley, Minn.; Andrew Boss, A. D. Wilson, and T. A. Erickson, of University Farm.

### WARNING TO WATER CONSUMERS

It has become known that many consumers of city water are letting faucets, taps or toilet fixtures run to keep their line from freezing; also otherwise wastfully wasting water. This is detrimental to the service other consumers are entitled to, and it endangers the whole city because it is interfering with the pressure needed in case of fire. The pumping plant is not equipped in a manner to permit needless wastage.

Notice is hereby given to all consumers that upon any indication that any one willfully indulges in any of the above mentioned ways of wasting water, said water service shall be discontinued immediately.

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### CHRISTMAS DAY

Celebrated at the Swedish Baptist Church With Fine Services

A fine service was held 5:30 in the morning when the pastor spoke on the "Prince of Peace." The large audience was reminded that the hour of the "Prince of Peace" is yet to come. When he came he was rejected and crucified. The Jews were set aside as a nation. When he was rejected as king the kingdom was postponed and the church was brought in. When the pastor interpreted the angel's song, it was pointed out that they sang "Peace on Earth to Men of Good Will." They announced to the shepherds who kept the sacrificial lambs that the babe born was the true Lamb of God. He came to make peace between God and man by the blood of the cross. The angels announced that those who should surrender their will to God's will, that those who should accept the sacrifice of God's Son as God's peace with God. The commission of the church is not to save the world and to bring in world peace. It is the purpose of God in this age to call out a people for the name of His Son. These called out ones constitute the spiritual body of Christ. When the last elect one is called he will appear suddenly and secretly in the air to receive His church. Shortly after that will be his public appearing when he shall reveal himself as "Prince of Peace."

At this service the church presented a purse to Rev. and Mrs. Peterson.

In the evening at 7 o'clock the Christmas program was given by the choir and school. The sacred cantata, "Blessed is He That Cometh," given by the choir and school was very impressive and highly appreciated by the large audience that filled the auditorium and balcony.

### Bethlehem Lutheran Church

The services held Christmas day at 11 o'clock were as follows: Sermon subject, "The Prince of Peace." The choir sang "Glory to the King."

On Christmas day evening at 7:45 the Sunday school gave the following program:

Processional March—The Sunday school.

Scripture Reading and Prayer—Sunday school superintendent.

"Light of the World"—The Sunday school.

Exercise for seven children, "Welcome."

Responsive reading—The Sunday school.

Recitation with chorus, "Hearken to the Message Sweet."

Station—"Glad Tidings That Shall Yet Prove True."

"More Than to God"—Sunday school.

Exercise for fifteen children—"Christ is Born."

Declaration—"God Bless Us, Every One."

"The Angel's Song"—Chorus by Sunday school.

Exercise for seven children—"Lighting a Star."

Song—"At the Manger"—Infant class.

Musical drill for twelve girls—"Christmas Branches."

Declaration—Myrtle Anderson.

Recitation for two girls—"The Cross."

Declaration—"The Mother's Christmas Gift."

Recitation for three tiny girls—"The Bells."

Lighting of tree and distribution of gifts.

Devology and Benediction.

M. L. Hostager, pastor.

## Quiet Reigns at International Falls

(By United Press)

International Falls, Dec. 26—All is quiet here. Fifty of the Winona guardsmen are on duty. Adjutant General W. F. Rhinos, advised by long distance telephone the state capital, that everything was quiet on Christmas day and the guardsmen were comfortable.

Catarthal Deafness Cannot be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure catarthal deafness, and that is by a constitutional remedy. Catarthal Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result. Unless the inflammation can be reduced and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever. Many cases of deafness are caused by catarth, which is an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarth Medicine acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system.

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## YOUTHS ARE HELD ON CHARGE OF VAGRANCY

(St. Cloud Journal Press)

Two St. Cloud youths, Johnnie McCord and Winfred Mertes, were taken off a baggage car of a Northern Pacific train yesterday by H. Freisinger, N. P. detective at Little Falls. The lads at first gave their names as Brick and said they were cousins of the St. Cloud chief of police. They told the detective they were going to Brainerd to visit relatives.

Both were held while the detective came in touch with St. Cloud authorities. A vagrancy charge was placed against the lads and they were ordered to pay the costs.

### CHRISTMAS TREE

Those Contributing to the Celebration Held at the Chamber of Commerce

Two hundred poor children were honored guests at the Chamber of Commerce at the Christmas celebration. The community Christmas tree and the accessories accompanying were provided by funds contributed by the Chamber of Commerce, the Community Council, Red Cross, Elks and Odd Fellow lodges, the American Legion, World War Veterans, the Brainerd Ministerial association and ten business men of the city.

### DEATH OF STAPLES MAN

George Williams, Car Repairer, Passed Away at a Local Hospital

George Williams, a Staples car repairer of the Northern Pacific railway company, died at a local hospital of general peritonitis. The remains have been sent to Staples for burial.

### DEATH OF LITTLE GIRL

Rose Barrett, Age 7, Daughter of Wallace Barrett, Died on Friday

Rose Barrett, age 7, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Barrett of Baxter, died Friday morning.

## Italian Deputies Want Treaty Power in Parliament's Hands

(By United Press)

Rome, Dec. 26—Twenty-four deputies who had seen war service have introduced a bill to have treaties made by the Italian parliament. Hitherto the treaty making power has been limited to the crown. The king is considering phases of the Piume situation.

## NORTHWEST NEWS

### Big Tax Levy

St. Paul, Dec. 26—Are you prepared to pay the biggest tax levy in history?

State Auditor Penns wants to know, Minnesota taxpayers are called upon to pay the biggest tax levy in history next year.

The tax levy for the year just ending is 8.1 mills, the highest level reached since the civil war when the levy reached 6 mills in 1865. From the levy the state will realize \$14,176,465. The total amount to be raised next year, however, to defray all expenses of state government will be \$26,246,495—the difference to be paid into the state treasury from various sources such as special taxes, license fees, etc.

All county auditors have already received notice of the levy to pay the bills of 1919 and are expected to have things working smoothly early next year.

### Ducklings and Goslings

Minneapolis, Dec. 26—The ugly ducklings and the Goosy Goslings are trying to get together to further the interests of the homely of Minnesota.

The Ugly Ducklings are staging a beauty contest among the co-eds of the University of Minnesota beginning next week. That is one way the homely men who call themselves the Ugly Ducklings have of mingling in the exclusive ranks of the university's most beautiful women. The contest will end Jan. 17 with a dance.

The Goosy Goslings are an organization of homely girls in the university and they claim among their number some of the most unbeautiful girls in the state.

They are sympathizing with the Ducklings and hope some day to make the world "free for the ugly."

### Old Greeks Had Small Heads.

The ancient Greeks, one of the most intellectual of nations, were distinguished for their small heads.

### ERNEST H. CHERRINGTON



A late photo of Ernest Hurst Cherrington, head of the League Against Alcoholism, which is founded with the view to world-wide prohibition.

### First American Woman's Club.

Sorosis, the first woman's club organized in America, was established in 1868 by a group of women protesting against the exclusion of women as guests at a banquet tendered Charles Dickens, then visiting in New York city.

### Trees Supply Water.

Natives of northwest Sudan are dependent on terebinth trees for water in the dry season. These trees store up an average of 340 gallons each.

### Eight Children Had Croup

"I have eight children and give Foley's Honey and Tar to all of them," writes Mrs. P. Behkamp, 2464 Hermann St., Covington, Ky.; "they all were subject to croup." It loosens mucus and phlegm, stops that strangling cough, makes easy breathing possible and permits quiet sleep. Contains no opiates. Children like it. H. H. P. Dunn.

### NOSE CLOGGED FROM A COLD OR CATARRH

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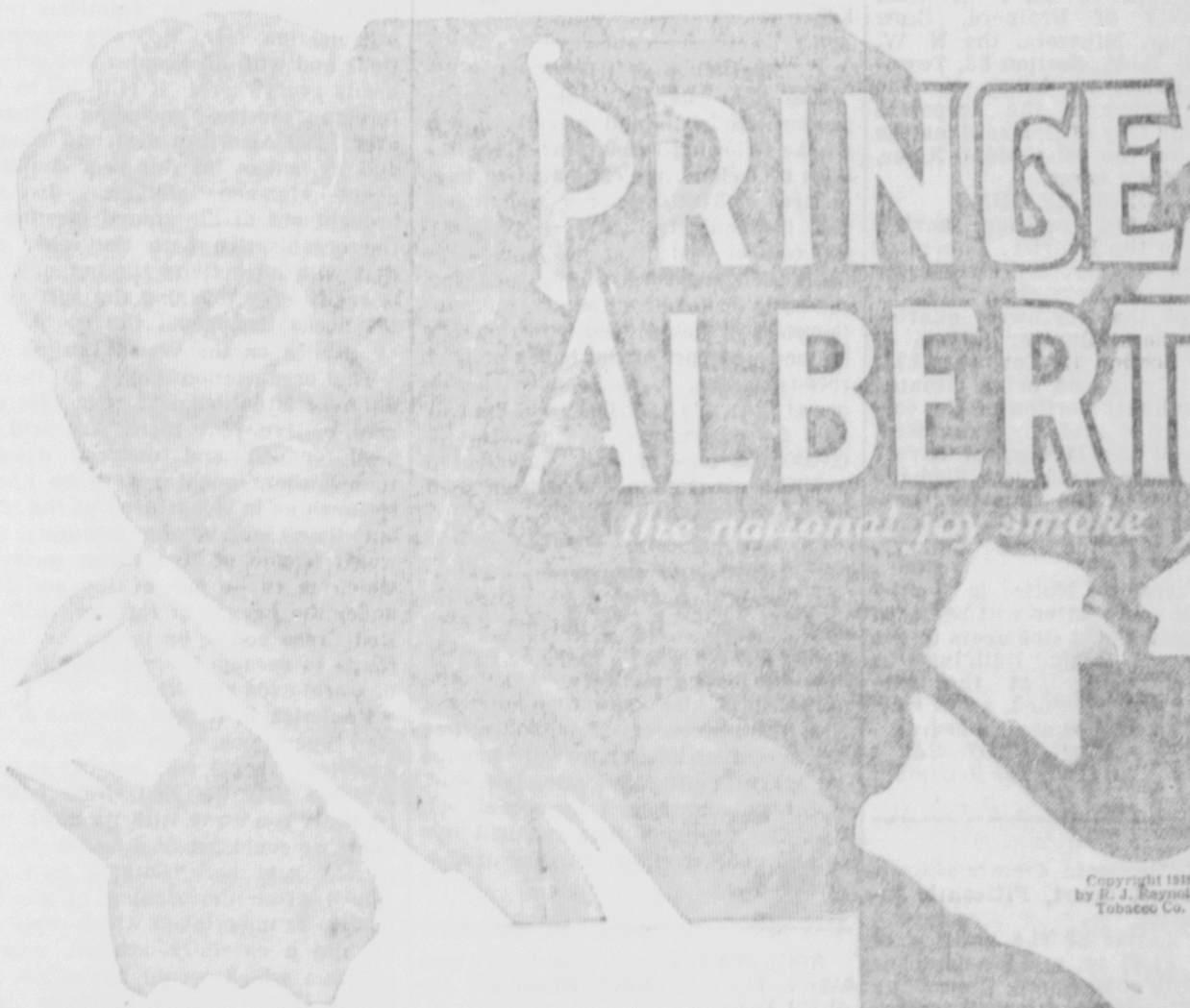
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State of Minnesota, County of Crow Wing, District Court, Fifteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of the petition of Emily S. Wright to have detached from the City of Brainerd, Crow Wing County, Minnesota, the N. W. 1/4 of the S. E. 1/4, Section 33, Township 134, Range 28; being in the Northwest corner of the corporate limits of said City of Brainerd, on the west side of the Mississippi River, containing forty acres.

NOTICE OF HEARING  
A duly verified petition having been filed in the District Court of Crow Wing County, Minnesota, for the detachment from the City of Brainerd of the Northwest quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4) Section 33, Township 134, Range 28; lying and being situated in the Northwest portion of the corporate limits of said City of Brainerd, and West of the Mississippi River; the Court having made and filed its order, setting as the time for hearing of said petition at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the 17th day of January, 1920.

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, that said matter will be heard at the District Court Chambers in the First National Bank Building in said City of Brainerd, at the date and hour above specified, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

W. H. CROWELL,  
Attorney for Petitioner  
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State of Minnesota, County of Crow Wing, District Court, Fifteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of the petition of William D. McKay, to have detached from the City of Brainerd, Crow Wing County, Minnesota, the S. 1/4 of the S. E. 1/4, Section 33; N. W. 1/4 of the S. W. 1/4, and Lot 5, Section 34, all in Township 134, Range 28; being in the Northwest corner of the corporate limits of said City of Brainerd, on the West side of the Mississippi River, approximately 160 acres.

NOTICE OF HEARING  
A duly verified petition having been filed in the District Court of Crow Wing County, Minnesota, for the detachment from the City of Brainerd of the South one-half of the Southeast Quarter (S 1/2 of the SE 1/4), Section 33; Northwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter (NW 1/4 of the SW 1/4), and Lot 5, Section 34, all in Township 134, Range 28; lying and being situated in the Northwest portion of the corporate limits of said City of Brainerd, and West of the Mississippi River; the Court having made and filed its order, setting as the time for hearing of said petition at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the 17th day of January, 1920.

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This Will Determine and Direct the General Policy for the Entire Territory With the Exception of Serbia.

By JAMES P. HORNADAY.

Washington.—While the work of the American Red Cross from this time on will be chiefly done in the United States, that organization is not yet ready to abandon the foreign field. Its foreign plans have just been made public. The scheme of organization is briefly this: A central office in Paris to determine and direct the general policy for the whole territory—Serbia alone excepted—to approve the budgets, assign the personnel and distribute the supplies. Then the organization is to have its commissioners and their staffs in European countries where there is permanent work yet to be done. In countries like Poland, threatened with famine and pestilence, this work, which the organization hoped to give up as early as last July, is growing rapidly. In Czechoslovakia the work of the organization is practically completed, as it is in Italy, with the exception of the home service for the families of the Italian-born soldiers, of whom there are more than 30,000.

The organization has withdrawn from England and from Switzerland. It still has temporary missions scattered about, such as that for the American troops in Archangel and the one to care for Russian prisoners in Germany, and more recently, at the request of the supreme economic council sitting in Paris, it took a trainload of supplies into Vienna and Budapest.

Still Busy in Europe.

So long as the Paris office is maintained the organization will send preliminary inquiries here and there. One such inquiry into southern Russia, made not long ago, was followed by three shipments of supplies and another representative of the organization has just returned from the Ukraine. The American Red Cross is not operating directly in Armenia. This means that it does not have any personal representatives there, but it is doing its share in relieving the conditions in that section.

The American Red Cross is taking a leading share in building up the organization of the International League of Red Cross Societies, which it believes will carry into all the world the Red Cross spirit and the knack of getting things done, despite all difficulties. The organization is still in close touch with an American relief organization (Mr. Hoover's organization) and with all peoples and governments everywhere. It still has in the foreign service, including Siberia, over 1,200 American men and women, and its budget for this year comes to about eighteen millions. It was brought out at the annual meeting of the organization here the other day that with all activity the organization is really only touching the surface of the needs throughout the world.

Relies on the World League.

The organization hopes to face a different situation next year. Its officers believe that there will still be need enough and distress enough, though there ought not to be nearly so much as is being faced at the present time, but in the meantime the world league of Red Cross societies, which is to be one of the activities under the League of Nations, will, the Red Cross hopes, by next year, be in shape to assume the general direction of world-wide activities.

Frederick P. Keppel, director of foreign operations, says he hopes the American people will not get the impression that the Red Cross has let its heart run away with its head. "We knew we could not feed and clothe the world," said he. "Nothing was continued after the signing of the armistice or undertaken which could not fit into a carefully studied general program which would be within our means. Every penny is carefully budgeted. But after all, it is not the money and supplies or even the skill of the doctors and nurses that is really the important part of our service. Our real contribution lies in giving the people of this disillusioned and cynical and weary world a chance to see some folks who have no ax to grind, either politically or commercially or theologically—just plain men and women who go cheerfully about trying to live the golden rule. And that has had its effect not only on the individual, but on the governments in Europe, because they, after all, are nothing but groups of individuals. I do not say that we have always succeeded in teaching the lesson, but I know the total effect of our good work has been great."

State of Minnesota, County of Crow Wing, District Court, Fifteenth Judicial District.

In the matter of the petition of J. S. Weisz, to have detached from the City of Brainerd, Crow Wing County, Minnesota, the N. E. 1/4 of the S. E. 1/4, Section 33, Township 134, Range 28; being in the Northwest corner of the corporate limits of said City of Brainerd, on the West side of the Mississippi River, containing forty acres.

NOTICE OF HEARING  
A duly verified petition having been filed in the District Court of Crow Wing County, Minnesota, for the detachment from the City of Brainerd of the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (N.E. 1/4 of the SE 1/4) Section 33, Township 134, Range 28; lying and being situated in the Northeast portion of the corporate limits of said City of Brainerd, and West of the Mississippi River; the Court having made and filed its order, setting as the time for hearing of said petition at 10 o'clock, a. m., on the 17th day of January, 1920.

Now Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given, that said matter will be heard at the District Court Chambers in the First National Bank Building in said City of Brainerd, at the date and hour above specified, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard.

W. H. CROWELL,  
Attorney for Petitioner  
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## DR. JOHN M'DOWELL



Dr. John McDowell is at the head of the recently established "New Era Movement" of the Presbyterian church for social service throughout the United States. Doctor McDowell formerly was pastor of the Brown Memorial church of Baltimore. In his younger days he was a day laborer and lost an arm while working in a coal mine.

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